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2019–2020 School Accountability Report Card

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School Accountability Report Card

Reported Using Data from the 2019–2020 School Year

California Department of Education

By February 1 of each year, every school in California is required by state law to publish a School Accountability Report Card (SARC). The SARC contains information about the condition and performance of each California public school. Under the Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF) all local educational agencies (LEAs) are required to prepare a Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP), which describes how they intend to meet annual school-specific goals for all pupils, with specific activities to address state and local priorities. Additionally, data reported in an LCAP is to be consistent with data reported in the SARC.

- For more information about SARC requirements, see the California Department of Education (CDE) SARC web page at https://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/
- For more information about the LCFF or LCAP, see the CDE LCFF web page at https://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/aa/lc/.
- For additional information about the school, parents/guardians and community members should contact the school principal or the district office.

DataQuest

DataQuest is an online data tool located on the CDE DataQuest web page at https://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/ that contains additional information about this school and comparisons of the school to the district and the county. Specifically, DataQuest is a dynamic system that provides reports for accountability (e.g., test data, enrollment, high school graduates, dropouts, course enrollments, staffing, and data regarding English learners).

California School Dashboard

The California School Dashboard (Dashboard) https://www.caschooldashboard.org/ reflects California's new accountability and continuous improvement system and provides information about how LEAs and schools are meeting the needs of California's diverse student population. The Dashboard contains reports that display the performance of LEAs, schools, and student groups on a set of state and local measures to assist in identifying strengths, challenges, and areas in need of improvement.

Mr. Dave Trejo, principal

· Principal, Environmental Charter Middle



About Our School

Environmental Charter Middle School offers students a small, caring school environment that supports students' transition from elementary school, prepares them for success in a college preparatory high school and empowers them to become leaders in their community and world. ECMS is part of the Environmental Charter Schools network of free public schools in Gardena, Lawndale, and Inglewood. Our mission is to reimagine public education in low-income communities of color to prepare conscious, critical thinkers who are equipped to graduate from college and create a more equitable and sustainable world. Environmental Charter Schools is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization governed by a volunteer board of directors. Board meetings and board committee meetings are open to the public and agendas are posted at ECMS-G and on the ECS website.

ECMS-G has worked diligently during the pandemic to ensure flexibility while remaining true to our core values and our primary objectives. During the 20-21 school year ECMS-G has committed to confronting anti-Blackness and racism, ensuring equitable access to instruction and to deepening our community's Reading Apprenticeship proficiency. ECMS-G believes that public education is an endeavor best served when the school works with the community and stakeholders to ensure decisions are in the best interest of our students.

ECMS-G remains dedicated to three overarching premises, enacted in every curricular area – first, that interdisciplinary learning best prepares students for higher levels of academic challenge; second, that the environment provides a ready lens for the application of academic concepts; and third, that attending to adolescent development and developing collaborative skills are key aspects of preparing students for the next level of education. Our approach to interdisciplinary learning and project-based instruction asks students to draw connections between subject matter. History, science, literature and math become richer experiences for students when they are interconnected, much like they are in the world outside of school. Projects and essential questions lead students to think more deeply and creatively about what they are learning.

Through our best practices of small learning communities, interdisciplinary curriculum and assessment, authentic and relevant instruction, environmental and project-based learning and collaboration with partners our students develop themselves to think critically, communicate collaboratively and contribute creatively to their world. Most importantly, ECMS-G is transforming and revitalizing the communities it serves through its high-quality education and its commitment to service and positive youth empowerment. We look forward to continuing amazing work taking place at ECMS-G and collaborating with you and your family. Come on a campus tour, and let's begin opening all the possibilities and opportunities that can be afforded to you at ECMS-G.

Respectfully,

Dave Trejo, ECMS Gardena Principal

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About This School

Contact Information (School Year 2020–2021)

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District Name	Los Angeles County Office of Education		
Phone Number	(562) 922-6111		
Superintendent	Debra Duardo		
Email Address	duardo debra@lacoe.edu		
Website	http://www.lacoe.edu		

School Contact Information (School Year 2020–2021)			
School Name	Environmental Charter Middle		
Street	812 West 165th PI.		
City, State, Zip	Gardena, Ca, 90247-5105		
Phone Number	310-425-1605		
Principal	Mr. Dave Trejo, principal		
Email Address	ecmsgardenainfo@ecsonline.org		
Website	http://www.ecmsgardena.org		
County-District-School (CDS) Code	19101990121772		

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School Description and Mission Statement (School Year 2020–2021)

The mission of Environmental Charter Schools is to reimagine public education in low-income communities of color to prepare conscious, critical thinkers who are equipped to graduate from college and create a more equitable and sustainable world. Environmental Charter Middle School - Gardena (ECMS-G) is a free, public middle school offering students a small, caring environment that supports their transition from elementary school to high school. ECMS-Gardena's teacher-created curriculum is interdisciplinary, project-based, arts-integrated and environmentally themed.

ECMS-G's unique program builds upon three overarching premises: first, that interdisciplinary learning best prepares students for higher levels of academic challenge; second, that the environment provides a ready lens for the application of academic concepts; and third, that attending to adolescent development will enable students to succeed in any high school atmosphere. The ECMS-G curriculum is interdisciplinary and project-based, requiring students to perform in all four core-subject areas (math, science, English, and history) in authentic, interdisciplinary tasks.

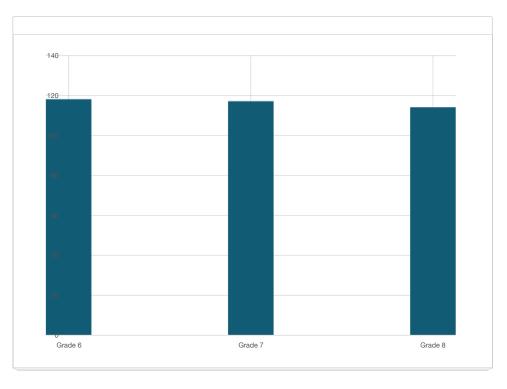
ECMS-G uses a small school design, a focus on social emotional learning to engage students in project-based, environmentally-themed, interdisciplinary learning. Our approach to interdisciplinary learning and project-based instruction asks students to draw connections that they might not see when subjects are atomized within strongly demarcated disciplinary boundaries. We emphasize equity, differentiation, backward planning, and data analysis as school-wide practices and return to these topics

in our weekly professional development meetings. In addition, we use a social-emotional learning program and restorative approach to discipline. Environmental studies help students connect their learning to the outside world and develop a consciousness to act positively on their environment. It is our fervent belief that all children, given the opportunities and proper supports, can master the Common Core State Standards (CCSS) and achieve at high levels in high school, college, and beyond.

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Student Enrollment by Grade Level (School Year 2019–2020)

Grade Level	Number of Students
Grade 6	118
Grade 7	117
Grade 8	114
Total Enrollment	349



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Student Enrollment by Student Group (School Year 2019–2020)

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment
Black or African American	13.20 %
American Indian or Alaska Native	%
Asian	1.40 %
Filipino	0.90 %
Hispanic or Latino	82.20 %
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.90 %
White	0.30 %

Student Group	Percent of Total Enrollment	
Two or More Races	1.10 %	
Student Group (Other)	Percent of Total Enrollment	
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	86.80 %	
English Learners	16.60 %	
Students with Disabilities	11.70 %	
Foster Youth	0.30 %	
Homeless	0.30 %	

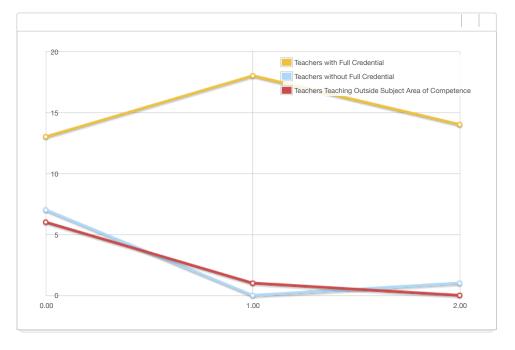
State Priority: Basic

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Basic (Priority 1):

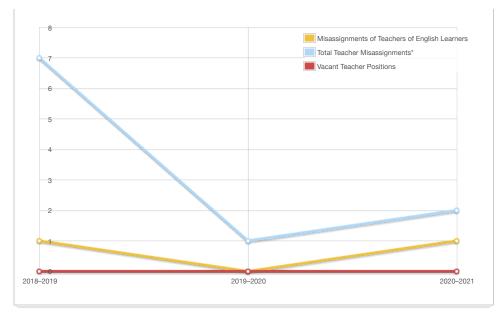
- Degree to which teachers are appropriately assigned and fully credentialed in the subject area and for the pupils they are teaching;
- Pupils have access to standards-aligned instructional materials; and
- · School facilities are maintained in good repair

Teacher Credentials

Teachers	School 2018– 2019	School 2019– 2020	School 2020– 2021	District 2020– 2021
With Full Credential	13	18	14	
Without Full Credential	7	0	1	
Teachers Teaching Outside Subject Area of Competence (with full credential)	6	1	0	



Indicator	2018–2019	2019–2020	2020–2021
Misassignments of Teachers of English Learners	1	0	1
Total Teacher Misassignments*	7	1	2
Vacant Teacher Positions	0	0	0



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Note: "Misassignments" refers to the number of positions filled by teachers who lack legal authorization to teach that grade level, subject area, student group, etc.

* Total Teacher Misassignments includes the number of Misassignments of Teachers of English Learners.

Quality, Currency, Availability of Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials (School Year 2020-2021)

Year and month in which the data were collected: November 2020

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Reading/Language Arts	Actively Learn	Yes	0.00 %
	Write Source Adopted 2010		
	Reading Apprenticeship materials (WestEd) Adopted 2016		
	Novels such as Hoot, The Giver, etc. (New novels added annually)		
	Achieve 3000		
Mathematics	Nearpod	Yes	0.00 %
	Eureka (7th & 8th Grades)		
	College Preparatory Math (6th Grade)		
	Go Math!		
	Zeal		
Science	Integrated Science	Yes	0.00 %
History-Social Science	Teachers' Curriculum Institute	Yes	0.00 %

Subject	Textbooks and Other Instructional Materials/year of Adoption	From Most Recent Adoption?	Percent Students Lacking Own Assigned Copy
Foreign Language	N/A		0.00 %
Health	N/A		0.00 %
Visual and Performing Arts	N/A		0.0 %
Science Lab Eqpmt (Grades 9-12)	N/A	N/A	0.0 %

Note: Cells with N/A values do not require data.

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School Facility Conditions and Planned Improvements

Our facility consists of three buildings, a parking lot, yard and garden patio. The buildings were renovated in 2015 and are in excellent repair. We made grant-funded sustainability improvements in 2017-18-- upgrading our light sensors and adding solar panels. We used Prop K funding to install a permeable artificial sports surface in the yard and a pond/creekbed and cistern to capture rainwater. This work was completed in the summer of 2018. In 2019-2020, we've made improvements to the sprinkler systems and to our pond features. We also worked with Optima Energy, a local Gardena company, to install two electric vehicle charging stations on the Gardena campus.

Environmental Charter Schools takes great efforts to ensure that all schools are clean, safe, and functional. ECMS-G is cleaned nightly by janitorial staff and maintained during the day by campus engineers. The site includes sufficient classrooms for our educational program. In addition, each year our facilities are inspected by a Facilities Planning Specialist from the Los Angeles County Office of Education. In November 2019, the facilities inspection report indicated all aspects of our facilities were in compliance.

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School Facility Good Repair Status

Using the most recently collected Facility Inspection Tool (FIT) data (or equivalent), provide the following:

- Determination of repair status for systems listed
- Description of any needed maintenance to ensure good repair
- The year and month in which the data were collected
- The rate for each system inspected
- The overall rating

Year and month of the most recent FIT report: November 2019

System Inspected	Rating	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
Systems: Gas Leaks, Mechanical/HVAC, Sewer	Good	
Interior: Interior Surfaces	Good	
Cleanliness: Overall Cleanliness, Pest/Vermin Infestation	Good	
Electrical: Electrical	Good	
Restrooms/Fountains: Restrooms, Sinks/Fountains	Good	
Safety: Fire Safety, Hazardous Materials	Good	
Structural: Structural Damage, Roofs	Good	

System Inspected	Rating	Repair Needed and Action Taken or Planned
External: Playground/School Grounds, Windows/Doors/Gates/Fences	Good	

Overall Facility Rate

Year and month of the most recent FIT report: November 2019

Overall Rating	Exemplary	

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State Priority: Pupil Achievement

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Pupil Achievement (Priority 4):

- Statewide assessments (i.e., California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress [CAASPP] System, which includes the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments for students in the general education population and the California Alternate Assessments [CAAs] for English language arts/literacy [ELA] and mathematics given in grades three through eight and grade eleven. Only eligible students may participate in the administration of the CAAs. CAAs items are aligned with alternate achievement standards, which are linked with the Common Core State Standards [CCSS] for students with the most significant cognitive disabilities); and
- The percentage of students who have successfully completed courses that satisfy the requirements for entrance to the University of California and the California State University, or career technical education sequences or programs of study.

CAASPP Test Results in ELA and Mathematics for All Students

Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven

Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard

Subject	School 2018–2019	School 2019–2020	District 2018–2019	District 2019–2020	State 2018–2019	State 2019–2020
English Language Arts / Literacy (grades 3-8 and 11)	43.0%	N/A	42.0%	N/A	50%	N/A
Mathematics (grades 3-8 and 11)	24.0%	N/A	30.0%	N/A	39%	N/A

Note: Cells with N/A values do not require data.

Note: The 2019–2020 data are not available. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the requirement for statewide testing for the 2019–2020 school year.

Note: Percentages are not calculated when the number of students tested is ten or less, either because the number of students in this category is too small for statistical accuracy or to protect student privacy.

Note: ELA and mathematics test results include the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment and the CAA. The "Percent Met or Exceeded" is calculated by taking the total number of students who met or exceeded the standard on the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment plus the total number of students who met the standard (i.e., achieved Level 3-Alternate) on the CAAs divided by the total number of students who participated in both assessments.

CAASPP Test Results in ELA by Student Group

Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven (School Year 2019–2020)

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Female	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian or Alaska Native	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Filipino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Foster Youth	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Homeless	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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CAASPP Test Results in Mathematics by Student Group

Grades Three through Eight and Grade Eleven (School Year 2019–2020)

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Female	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian or Alaska Native	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Filipino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Foster Youth	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Homeless	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Note: Cells with N/A values do not require data.

Note: The 2019–2020 data are not available. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waives the requirement for statewide testing for the 2019–2020 school year.

CAASPP Test Results in Science for All Students

Grades Five, Eight and High School

Percentage of Students Meeting or Exceeding the State Standard

Subject	School	School	District	District	State	State
	2018–2019	2019–2020	2018–2019	2019–2020	2018–2019	2019–2020
Science (grades 5, 8, and high school)	32	N/A	23	N/A	30	N/A

Note: Cells with N/A values do not require data.

Note: The 2019–2020 data are not available. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the requirement for statewide testing for the 2019–2020 school year.

Note: The new California Science Test (CAST) was first administered operationally in the 2018–2019 school year.

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CAASPP Tests Results in Science by Student Group

Grades Five, Eight and High School (School Year 2019-2020)

Student Group	Total Enrollment	Number Tested	Percent Tested	Percent Not Tested	Percent Met or Exceeded
All Students	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Male	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Female	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Black or African American	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian or Alaska Native	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Filipino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic or Latino	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
White	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Two or More Races	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Socioeconomically Disadvantaged	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
English Learners	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students with Disabilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Students Receiving Migrant Education Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Foster Youth	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Homeless	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Note: Cells with N/A values do not require data.

Note: The 2019–2020 data are not available. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Executive Order N-30-20 was issued which waived the requirement for statewide testing for the 2019–2020 school year.

State Priority: Other Pupil Outcomes

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Other Pupil Outcomes (Priority 8):

• Pupil outcomes in the subject area of physical education

California Physical Fitness Test Results (School Year 2019-2020)

Grade Level

Percentage of Students Meeting Four of Six Fitness Standards

Percentage of Students Meeting Five of Six Fitness Standards

Percentage of Students Meeting Six of Six Fitness Standards

Note: Cells with N/A values do not require data.

Note: The 2019–2020 data are not available. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Executive Order N-56-20 was issued which waived the requirement to administer the physical fitness performance test for the 2019–2020 school year.

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State Priority: Parental Involvement

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Parental Involvement (Priority 3):

· Efforts the school district makes to seek parent input in making decisions for the school district and each school site

Opportunities for Parental Involvement (School Year 2020–2021)

The pandemic and ensuing school closure created new challenges for our community whilst curtailing many traditional forms of communication. Informal conversations between stakeholders and leadership that might take place on campus could not occur. Because of the extraordinary circumstances created by the pandemic, we have expanded our efforts to solicit stakeholder input. In addition to moving our traditional engagement practices, such as parent meetings, the English Learner Advisory Committee, Board & Committee meetings online, we regularly send families, staff and students online surveys designed to gather feedback on distance learning—how it is working well and not working well. We ask families to provide input on schedule, synchronous instruction, and safety. We ask students to share their biggest barriers to engagement in distance learning, how they learned best during distance learning, and to describe their social-emotional state.

These survey data sets are used to take action within working groups of ECMS-G teachers, classified staff and administrators. Each group is tasked with developing a different component of our plan ensuring learning continuity, attendance and safety. Apart from analyzing this survey data, each working group also frequently seeks additional stakeholder feedback to refine planning through parent virtual interviews, roundtable discussions, and town halls. All interactive parent involvement opportunities can be found posted on our website calendar and event sections at www.ecmsgardena.org and are also messaged in our weekly communication to parents.

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State Priority: Pupil Engagement

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: Pupil Engagement (Priority 5):

- · High school dropout rates; and
- · High school graduation rates

State Priority: School Climate

The SARC provides the following information relevant to the State priority: School Climate (Priority 6):

- Pupil suspension rates;
- · Pupil expulsion rates; and
- · Other local measures on the sense of safety

Suspensions and Expulsions

(data collected between July through June, each full school year respectively)

Rate	School 2017–2018	School 2018–2019	District 2017–2018	District 2018–2019	State 2017–2018	State 2018–2019
Suspensions	0.50%	3.30%	9.60%	11.50%	3.50%	3.50%
Expulsions	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.10%	0.10%	0.10%

Suspensions and Expulsions for School Year 2019–2020 Only

(data collected between July through February, partial school year due to the COVID-19 pandemic)

Rate	School 2019–2020	District 2019–2020	State 2019–2020
Suspensions	1.40%		2.50%
Expulsions	0.00%		0.10%

Note: The 2019–2020 suspensions and expulsions rate data are not comparable to prior year data because the 2019–2020 school year is a partial school year due to the COVID-19 crisis. As such, it would be inappropriate to make any comparisons in rates of suspensions and expulsions in the 2019–2020 school year compared to prior years.

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School Safety Plan (School Year 2020-2021)

ECMS-G's Comprehensive School Safety Plan ("Safe Schools Plan") is distinct from the comprehensive COVID-19 safety protocols and training that ECMS-G has established and provided from the start of the pandemic to the present. To address the safety of staff and students, extensive COVID-19 safety measures have been implemented, including but not limited to:

- establishing safety policies for 6-feet physical distancing, face coverings, hand washing, disinfection, symptom screening upon campus entry, isolation rooms for individuals experiencing symptoms on-campus, and contact tracing.
- · measuring classrooms and determining classroom capacity during social distancing,
- · creating maps of campus to identify circulation patterns and facilitate social distancing,
- · installing HVAC MERV 13 filters,
- installing plexiglass barriers, alternative door pulls, outdoor hand-washing stations,
- installing additional hand sanitizer and soap dispensers, and other protective devices.
- removing books and other shared items from classrooms and storing them for later use
- redesigning classrooms to facilitate ease of disinfection

ECMS-G's Comprehensive School Safety Plan ("Safe Schools Plan") was last reviewed, discussed and updated on 2/3/2020. This Safe Schools Plan is currently in a review process and will be updated by 3/1/2021.

To develop and revise the Safe Schools Plan, input is gathered from school and community stakeholders. Administrators consult with families, students, teachers and staff members to establish areas of concern, determine how procedures or policies can be improved and determine annual goals for improving school safety. Representatives from law enforcement, fire departments and emergency/disaster planning agencies are contacted and invited to provide feedback on the plan. ECS also offers to coordinate use of its facilities with regional emergency planning agencies. Plan development includes a meeting of Site Engineers from all ECS sites to share best practices and strategies.

• Section 5: emergency procedures • Section 6: Incident Command Systems • Appendix: Surveys, checklists and other resources All emergency actions will be taken according to the following priorities: · Protection of life · Protection of the environment · Protection of property · Restoration of services Last updated: 1/22/2021 The information in this section is required to be in the SARC but is not included in the state priorities for LCFF. Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Elementary) School Year (2017–2018) Number of Classes * Number of Classes * Number of Classes * Grade Level Average Class Size 1-20 21-32 33+ Κ 1 2 3 4 5 6 22.00 11 28 Other**

The Safe Schools Plan is designed for use during the planning, response, and recovery phases of an emergency or disaster that affects ECS' operations and facilities. The plan includes:

• Section 2: the way the plan is developed and revised.

• Section 4: emergency preparedness practices

• Section 3: policies, procedures and practices that are preventative.

* Number of classes indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per class).

** "Other" category is for multi-grade level classes.

Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Elementary) School Year (2018–2019)

Grade Level	Average Class Size	Number of Classes * 1-20	Number of Classes * 21-32	Number of Classes * 33+
К				
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6	29.00		32	
Other**				

^{*} Number of classes indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per class).

Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Elementary) School Year (2019–2020)

Grade Level	Average Class Size	Number of Classes * 1-20	Number of Classes * 21-32	Number of Classes * 33+
К				
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6	30.00		28	
Other**				

Number of classes indicates how many classes fall into each size category (a range of total students per class).

^{** &}quot;Other" category is for multi-grade level classes.

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Subject	Average Class Size	Number of Classes * 1-22	Number of Classes * 23-32	Number of Classes * 33+
English	18.00	8	8	
Mathematics	23.00	3	8	
Science	29.00		12	
Social Science	28.00		8	

^{*} Number of classes indicates how many classrooms fall into each size category (a range of total students per classroom). At the secondary school level, this information is reported by subject area rather than grade level.

Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Secondary) (School Year 2018–2019)

Subject	Average Class Size	Number of Classes * 1-22	Number of Classes * 23-32	Number of Classes * 33+
English	29.00		8	
Mathematics	29.00		8	
Science	29.00		16	
Social Science	29.00		8	

^{*} Number of classes indicates how many classrooms fall into each size category (a range of total students per classroom). At the secondary school level, this information is reported by subject area rather than grade level.

Average Class Size and Class Size Distribution (Secondary) (School Year 2019-2020)

Subject	Average Class Size	Number of Classes * 1-22	Number of Classes * 23-32	Number of Classes * 33+
English	29.00		8	
Mathematics	29.00		8	
Science	29.00		12	
Social Science	29.00		8	

^{*} Number of classes indicates how many classrooms fall into each size category (a range of total students per classroom). At the secondary school level, this information is reported by subject area rather than grade level.

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Ratio of Pupils to Academic Counselor (School Year 2019–2020)

Title	Ratio	
Pupils to Academic Counselor*	349	

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Student Support Services Staff (School Year 2019–2020)

Number of FTE* Assigned to School
0.50
0.30

*One full time equivalent (FTE) equals one staff member working full time; one FTE could also represent two staff members who each work 50 percent of full time.

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Expenditures Per Pupil and School Site Teacher Salaries (Fiscal Year 2018–2019)

Level	Total Expenditures Per Pupil	Expenditures Per Pupil (Restricted)	Expenditures Per Pupil (Unrestricted)	Average Teacher Salary
School Site	\$13662.49	\$3089.13	\$10573.36	\$59491.48
District	N/A	N/A		
Percent Difference – School Site and District	N/A	N/A		
State	N/A	N/A	\$7750.12	
Percent Difference – School Site and State	N/A	N/A		

Note: Cells with N/A values do not require data.

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Types of Services Funded (Fiscal Year 2019–2020)

Community Partnerships is one of our five ECS Best Practices, and families are our most important partner. Our Best Practices rubric describes effective collaboration with families, including open and professional communication that is positive, prompt and provides parents the tools they need to support their students. We emphasize consistent communication that empowers families to be active supporters of their students' learning. Teachers and staff are provided feedback and professional development on this best practice. Site leaders meet weekly for professional development and also to share strategies they've implemented on their sites that have been most effective in improving staff collaboration with families.

Communication between school and home is emphasized during a families' orientation at ECMS-G. Every Monday, we send home a school newsletter and student progress report so families are kept abreast of school events, announcements and can review their students' progress on academic standards, collaborative skills, and other standards assessed. Parents and guardians also have access to the PowerSchool platform so that they can access their child's progress at any point in time. Many teachers use other digital communication tools designed for educators in addition to Google Classroom to further facilitate families' access to information about their students' progress. Families are encouraged to provide feedback via surveys, meetings with administrators or staff, parent/teacher conferences. Each year, parent engagement meetings are held to review indicators of parent and identify strategies for increasing participation. In addition, ECMS-G has an Equity & Diversity Committee, where parents, staff, teachers, community members, board members, and administrators analyze data, looking for signs of inequity, research ways to improve equitable outcomes for all students and recommend changes. Focus groups of parents/guardians, such as parents/guardians of students with disabilities or parents/guardians of African-American/Black students are arranged to get feedback on school actions targeting student subgroups.

Families learn more about how to support their students' learning from a range of events and resources. Events like the Greek Olympics, Boston Harbor Blockade Boat Races, Aztec Ulama Tournament engage parents in content-rooted interdisciplinary project celebrations. The Literacy Festival, Math Night, High School Fair and regular parent education workshops provide guidance on how to best support students' academic success. All events are translated into Spanish and evening English as a Second Language classes include content that is relevant to their students' learning. Families also have opportunities to participate in focus groups as part of program evaluation. Audits of the Special Education and English Language Development programs include interviews with families whose students have exceptionalities and/or are English learners. Our school does not typically have a high percentage of migratory student population, however, any migratory students are provided with supports in their native language, as are non-migratory students. Written materials are translated into families' native language. We also partner with immigrants rights organizations, who provide educational workshops on campus.

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Professional Development

Measure	2018–2019	2019–2020	2020–2021
Number of school days dedicated to Staff Development and Continuous Improvement		28	28

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